

# THE CHINOOK ADVANCE

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NO

Friends of the Kulyk girls who attended Chinook High School last year, will be interested to hear of the marriage of Nettie Kulyk last Fall to Mr. Elmer Opp of Benalto, Alberta.

Dan Drysdale C. N. R. repair pumpman of Drumheller was a town visitor this week.

## China War Depletes

### Japan's Gold Store

Washington, May 6 (AP) Japan's gold reserves have sunk to less than \$100,000,000 after the drain of nearly three years' war in China, a survey of Japan's financial structure indicated today.

## LOCAL NEWS

Born--To Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnston, of Helmsdale, in the Esler Hospital, a son.

Mrs. Waterhouse of Cereal, was a Chinook visitor on Wednesday.

Jack Lee spent last week end with Bruce Hutchison on the farm.

Mr. A. Solaweyko who has been receiving medical treatment in Calgary returned last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Barros spent Sunday with their son, Leonard at Bindloss.

## Say Hog Price

### Now Stabilized

Winnipeg, May 4 (CP) J. A. Taggart, chairman of the Canadian hog board, declared here today that the domestic bacon market appeared to have improved enough during the last week to take up the surplus which, for a time, amounted to almost 10,000 hogs a week above average requirements. As a result, Mr. Taggart said hog prices appeared to have been stabilized for the time being at their present levels.

## Storm Strikes Trochu Area

### Hail Covering Soon Disappears

Alberta's first electric storm of the year struck the province in the Trochu district on Monday afternoon, and was accompanied by a heavy hail and rain downpour.

More than an inch and a half of hail covered the ground in the district following the storm but the rain which followed soon melted it.

In Calgary Tuesday night a rain storm turned into a heavy wet snow which soon melted.

The temperature in the city on Monday went to a maximum of 53 above and dropped sharply during the evening. At nine o'clock Tuesday morning it was at a low of 30 above but by noon had shot back up to 50 above with a bright sun shining and a few light clouds in the sky.

Roads in the province are drying slowly. The Calgary

## Village Of Chinook

### By-Law No. 5

Any animal, horse, cow, sheep, hog, goat, or poultry will not be allowed to run at large in the village.

By order of the Council

## Red Cross Picture Show Big Success

A fair audience enjoyed the Red Cross programme held in the school auditorium on Saturday, May 4th. Moving pictures shown were enjoyed, especially by the children, while the various items contributed by our local artists gave variety. Those taking part included Mrs. W. H. Davis, Ray Cooley, Geo. Anderson, Olga and Emily Zawasky and Mr. Targett. Sum of about thirty dollars was realized.

On the same day local ladies held a sale of home cooking in aid of the local Red Cross branch.

Selling was brisk during the afternoon and the ladies had the satisfaction of handing the Secretary the handsome sum of \$11.50 for their effort.

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Sardines	4 tins	25c
Swifts 1st grade Lard	3 lbs	30c
Canned milk	large per tin	10c
Canned milk	small	5c
Lifebouy Soap	3 cakes	26c
Puffed Wheat with Drinking glass bag		37c
Perfection Cocoa	per tin	30c

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GROWN IN SUNNY SOUTHERN ONTARIO

## Opportunities In Trees

Considered solely from the economic viewpoint it is satisfactory to note that the federal government has evidently decided that the annual summer expeditions of the forestry association's tree planting train are not to be sacrificed to the exigencies of war.

By the time this appears in print the train will already be perambulating through those portions of the prairie provinces which have found a place in this season's itinerary and from its cars crowds of prairie folk are learning, orally and visually, the immense value of a tree in the economic and aesthetic life of the country.

Contrary to what might have been expected, the past decade of drought and depression has given a marked impetus to the work of tree planting on the open prairies and the necessity of conservation of trees in the forested portions of the west has been brought home to thousands of western residents as a result of the continued mission of the forestry association's train.

During this ten year period of trial and tribulation, farmers and others have learned by bitter experience that the absence of trees has spelled soil erosion and that soil erosion plus drought has brought dust storms wrecking at least temporary destruction to large tracts of arable areas in the southern portions of the prairie provinces. In the park belted and treed areas of the northern parts of these provinces, people have been keenly aware of what has been happening in the southern districts and have undoubtedly become impressed with the necessity of conserving their protective device—the trees.

It is not surprising, therefore, to find that during the depression, interest in tree planting and conservation of forests has deepened materially and that this augmented interest has found expression in record attendances at the lectures brought to their doors by the tree planting train and by increased demands on the facilities of the Dominion forestry farms for trees and shrubs.

### Wider Outlets Offered

A further stimulus to the growing interest in tree planting and arboreal conservation has been given during the past three or four years by the activities of the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation organization who are promoting the growth and cultivation of trees as one of the activities essential to the retention and use of all available moisture.

Instead of the war acting as a deterrent upon this important and highly necessary undertaking it should serve as a major factor in giving an additional impetus to programs of tree planting and forest conservation on the part of the individual, the community and the governments of the country, for it would appear that trees may be destined to play an even more important role in our economy than heretofore, as a result of the conflagration in Europe.

One of the immediate effects of the war in prospect is a very substantial increase in tourist traffic from the United States. It can be taken for granted that these prospective visitors will not only look for good roads and courtesies but they will search for attractive scenery and that means, in addition to fields of golden grain and neat farmsteads, the restful greenery of trees. If they do not find this greatest of assets to a holiday-maker, they may be expected to move on to some other section of the country which has something more tempting to offer them and which will reap the benefit of the money they have to spend.

It appears also as if the war may open a new vista of wealth to be derived from the forests of this country. Even before Norway had been invaded by Hitler's troops Roland D. Craig, chief economist of the Dominion forest service at Ottawa announced at the annual convention of the Canadian Society of Forestry Engineers that new markets will be opened to Canadian wood because the Baltic countries and eastern European timber producers have been practically shut off from world trade routes.

"The United Kingdom," said Mr. Craig, "will be dependent largely upon Canada for her entire wood requirements, particularly for military uses, and the United States will be a heavy importer of wood pulp from the Baltic and from Europe will probably turn to Canada for a greatly increased supply of that forest product."

### A Permanent Crop

So that in more than one direction the war is opening up opportunities to augment existing industries and to create new ones in which forest resources and trees may play an important role if advantage is taken of these opportunities, but to make the most of the situation it is necessary that more trees be planted on the open prairies in the south and in the north the forest resources must be carefully managed so that the industry may continue to be profitable for all time.

As Arthur A. Schmon, president of the Canadian Forestry Association, said at the convention already referred to: "Forest resources must be recognized by every Canadian household as a national pride and as a bulwark of our common well being. We want them accepted as the one permanent crop to be kept growing on nearly a third of our habitable area."

### Burlap In Great Demand

Needed In Large Quantities For Sandbags During Wartime

The commodity whose price is perhaps most sensitive of all during wartime is not copper, nor steel, but ordinary burlap. Burlap is needed in enormous quantities for sandbags, and its price since last September has varied from six cents to 11 cents per yard. The British government has had to buy 500,000,000 yards, and a world shortage is increasing the use of cotton sacking and paper bags for commercial packaging.

As an aid in overhauling aerial photo maps of Antarctica's vast snow wastes, photographers drop bombs of carbon black powder on the snow.

One of the finest and most modern fish oil refineries in the world is located at Vancouver, B.C.

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### Under Special Register

Only Favored Customer Can Now Buy Potatoes In Berlin

Because of the "severe winter" the German Government has announced that henceforth potatoes can be bought in Berlin only if the customer has been specially registered. It was announced also that after registry in the special customers list the buyer would be able to purchase potatoes only on two non-consecutive days of the week and that the quantity bought would be limited by the supply on hand.

### Friendliness Out

Anyone who has known the freedom, the kindness, the justice, the civilized decency of the Scandinavian countries must be saddened by this spectacle. But everyone watching it must be newly aware that the question of whether right or right is to rule in the world is no local issue and that there is no room for genuine friendliness in totalitarianism.—Christian Science Monitor.

It cannot be overlooked that the German people will fight as long time as if the fight is kept in some other country.

### The Magnetic Mine

How Britain Was Able To Deal With This Menace To Shipping

(By a Local Correspondent)  
Magnetic mines are laid on the sea bottom, and are only effective if ships passing over them are inside the danger area of the explosion. They are useless in depths of 300 feet or more, and are thus complementary to the ordinary moored mines floating beneath the surface and designed to fire on a ship striking them. The development and laying of magnetic mines forced Britain to provide special methods of clearance over and above the ordinary sweeping of moored mines.

As regards the antidote, much has recently been heard of "de-gaussing" belts fitted to ships of all types from trawlers to battleships, for the purpose of neutralizing their magnetism and so rendering them immune from magnetic mines. Dr. Gauss, one believes, was a Scandinavian professor who died in the middle of the 19th century, but gave his name to the unit of magnetic flux, just as the names of Ohm and Ampere are now used in the technical language of electricity.

The "de-gaussing" belt or girder, or "D.G." equipment, as it is now called, consists of a number of strands of ordinary insulated cable passing round the ship about the level of the upper deck, and energized in a special way by an electrical current. It neutralizes the permanent magnetism of the vessel, so that she is able to pass over a magnetic mine without deflecting the needle and firing the charge.

Total immunity against mines, magnetic or otherwise, can never be guaranteed. However, no ship fitted with the new gear has yet been damaged, while an officer responsible for its development expressed himself as being prepared to take a "de-gaussing" ship over any number of magnetic minefields.

It should be added that the apparatus which was suggested by the officers of one of His Majesty's Naval Establishments, with the able advice and assistance of civilian scientists, was developed in less than three months from the time need for it became apparent.

### Supplies Cut Off

Clothespins Are Scarce In England On Account Of War

It's a "lovely" war for the British housewife. She wants to hang out the washing on the home front line but cannot because there's a scarcity of clothespins.

Apart from the few made by egyptians, they never were manufactured in England on a large scale. Before the war 192,000,000 pines were imported annually, mainly from Germany.

As if the pin question and planning family meals under rationing were not enough, isolated reports are at hand about makers of mouse traps experiencing a scarcity of wire. The trap-makers at Leeds face this difficulty due to the use of wire in making anti-magnetic mine apparatus.

Clothespins have been so scarce in many districts that women introduced "staggered" washing days and others used safety pins. To meet the difficulty a firm of spring manufacturers plans turning out 5,000,000 spring pines a week. Due to labor costs, they may have to be sold at about sixpence (11c) a dozen compared with the old price of 12 wooden pines for a penny.

### Made Slight Mistake

Auctioneer Got His Addresses Mixed And Sold Wrong House

While Mr. and Mrs. Norman Goodwin, of Quincy, Mass., were away from home on a brief vacation, an auctioneer of the Home Owners' Loan Corporation put up a red flag on one piazza and within a half hour sold their house and two-car garage to the highest bidder.

The Goodwins have owned their home for 16 years. The auctioneer had made a mistake in the address and should have auctioned the house next door.

### According To Old Legend

The origin of tea is credited to a legendary Buddhist named Bodhidharma, who in the midst of a nine-year penance without sleep started to doze. To punish himself he plucked out his eyebrows and threw them on the ground. From these grew the tea plant, and by eating the leaves of it he managed to keep awake for the duration of the penance.

Matches first were sold under the name of "Lucifers."

Gold, when ground to a fine powder, is dark red, or black.

### New Wireless School

Established Under Air Training Plan At University Of Manitoba

Establishment of a wireless school of the British commonwealth air training plan in buildings of the University of Manitoba at Winnipeg was announced by Hon. C. G. Power, acting minister of national defence.

Mr. Power expressed appreciation of the "patriotic attitude of the president of the university, Sidney R. Smith; the chairman of the board of governors, Mr. Justice Dwyer, and other members of the board in placing such facilities at the disposal of the Royal Canadian Air Force for the duration of the war."

The school will be the second of four wireless schools, projected under the plan which provides for the training of pilots, air gunners and air observers for the British, Australia, New Zealand and Canadian air forces.

Another school now is operating in Montreal and the Winnipeg establishment will be along similar lines except that it will concentrate on the training of air crews while at Montreal signals officers, ground operators and wireless and electrical mechanics required under the plan will receive their training.

The Winnipeg school will provide accommodation for the training of more than 1,000 airmen as wireless operators.

The students' residence at the university which now accommodates 450 students and staff members and has a restaurant capable of serving 1,000 people will form the nucleus of the school. Other buildings will be used for instructional purposes and additional buildings for class rooms will be erected on adjacent property.

### Will Survey Housing

Next Census Expected To Include General Living Conditions Quiz

A survey of housing in Canada will be made in connection with the 1941 census, according to plans already prepared by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics but subject to final approval by the Government.

The census takers will ask Canadians about the types of houses they live in, the type of sanitation and the type of heating system. They will inquire whether houses have bathrooms and refrigeration and what kind of fuel is used. Questions also are set down on the preliminary census form relating to the number of rooms in the house, the type of construction and the rent paid.

Only the other day the Ontario Association of Real Estate Boards convention in London approved a resolution asking the Federal Government to obtain information on property and housing conditions during the 1941 census taking.

### Made A Salad

One of the earliest stories of tea drinking in the western hemisphere is that of the seventeenth century hostess who, on being presented with a pot of tea, cooked it and served it to her guests with butter, salt and pepper.

A game similar to American football was played by the youths of Sparta 2,500 years ago, history reveals.

## Mr. Caffeine-Nerves Foiled Again!

FATHER: Stop that infernal racket! How do you expect me to work all day and come home and listen to that! My nerves can't stand it!

MR. CAFFEINE-NERVES: Bravo! That child needs to be cured!



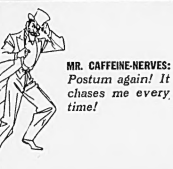
MOTHER: One of the club girls claims that too much tea and coffee can make people nervous and out of sorts. Maybe it isn't junior at all. Let's try drinking only Postum for awhile and see!

MR. CAFFEINE-NERVES: To hear her you'd think you lived on tea and coffee!



### 30 DAYS LATER

FATHER: Whoever told you about Postum certainly deserves a medal. My trouble was caffeine-nerves all right! Postum instead of tea or coffee soon put an end to it!



MR. CAFFEINE-NERVES: Postum again! It chases me every time!

Many people can safely drink tea and coffee. Many others—and all children—should never drink them. If you are one of these, try Postum's 30-day test. Buy Postum and drink it instead of tea and coffee for one month. Then, if you do not feel better, return the container top to General Foods, Limited, Cobourg, Ontario, and we'll gladly refund full purchase price, plus postage. Postum is delicious, economical, easy to prepare, and contains no caffeine.

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### Most Perfect In World

Whispering Gallery In Italy Is Shaped Like Human Ear

The "Ear of Dionysius", one of the most curious and perfect whispering galleries in the world, is located in the ancient city of Syracuse, Italy. Formed more than 5,000 years ago when Greek slaves accidentally quarried out rock from a limestone cliff in the form of a human ear, the gallery is 50 feet high and extends back into a cliff for 200 feet. Its acoustics are so perfect that the sound of paper being torn is carried back perfectly by the echo. It is named for the Emperor Dionysius, who used it for a prison and had a small room built at the top where he could sit and listen to what his prisoners were whispering about.

At a speed of 62 miles an hour, an automobile uses about 60 per cent. of its power in overcoming air resistance.

### New Airplane Device

Bombay Engineer Evolves System For Reducing Landing Speed

Aeronautical research engineer for the Indian government, Phiroze P. Nazir conferred with officials of the British commonwealth air training plan in regard to a device to decrease the landing speed of fast aircraft.

The 32-year-old Bombay engineer described his device as a cut slot and flap in the trailing edge of an aircraft wing. Its function would be to act as an air brake when lowered into position for a landing. Similarly, the flap would give increased lifting power for aircraft taking off from confined areas.

The Indian government has financed development and patent costs of the device.

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Youngtown  
Minister

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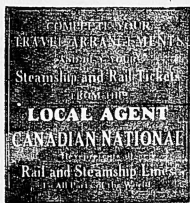
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### The Ladies' Card Club

The Ladies' Card Club met at the home of Mrs. E. Sawyer prizes being won by Mrs. E. Pfeiffer and Mrs. Walter Gallagher. Miss Otto will be the hostess next week at home of Mrs. W. Gallagher.

Mr. Norwood Bjork and Mr. Clayton Nelson of Atlee, visited over the week end, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russel Murr.

## Searle Precipitation Report No. 2

Compiled from the records of 583 Governmental and Searle Rain Gauges.

The precipitation which has occurred from April 29 inclusive, combined with that which fell last autumn during the months of August, September and October, and all weighted for wheat acreage, shows the moisture condition for the three Prairie Provinces, as a unit, now to be 74 per cent of normal as compared with 75 per cent a week ago.

The moisture condition in Alberta on April 29th was 100 per cent of normal as compared with 101 per cent last week.

For Saskatchewan on April 29th, the condition was 56 per cent of normal as compared with 57 per cent last week.

For Manitoba on April 29th, the condition was 81 per cent of normal as compared with the same figure of 81 per cent a week ago.

Northwestern Manitoba is deficient in moisture as is the whole of northern Saskatchewan and an area in east central Saskatchewan. Almost every district and point in Alberta is in excellent condition with the exception of a small area extending from Cereal and Cessford in central Alberta to the Saskatchewan border (Searle Grain Company, Ltd.)

## The World of Wheat

Director, Research Department, Searle Grain Co., Ltd.

This war is likely to be extensive, bitter, cruel and long. We are facing against a courageous, efficient, well-prepared and unscrupulous enemy. To win the final victory every citizen of Canada and other Allied countries will be called upon to make both contributions and sacrifices. Contribution in the way of producing as much as possible of foodstuffs, munitions, supplies and equipment, and all for moderate rewards in the way of wages, incomes and profits, and sacrifices. Contributions in the giving up something valuable for no personal reward or return at all. These sacrifices will be, mainly, money contributions in the form of taxes and loans at low interest.

Our Western farmers already have made good contributions and considerable sacrifices. Contributions in the large quantity of wheat which they have made available, and which now free the Allied Governments from any fear of food shortage, and money sacrifices, too, because our farmers have made this wheat available at a price that is most definitely less than its cost of production.

Our farmers, therefore, can be extremely proud of the efforts they already have made towards the winning of an Allied Victory.

Following factors have tended to raise prices:—Balance of wheat remaining for export in Australia is down to approximately 55 million bushels. Navigation on the Great Lakes officially opened on April 25th. Portugal purchases a cargo of Canadian wheat. Corn planting in Rumania impeded by heavy rains—Poland suffering from shortage of food and feed.

Following factors have tended to lower prices:—Sowing of wheat in Australia is making fairly satisfactory progress. More favorable weather in U.S. winter wheat belt. Crops in Italy are progressing favorably. Sowing of wheat in the Argentine is progressing well. U.S. Spring wheat acreage estimated at 1.3 million acres larger than last year.

(Article No. 186—May 2nd, 1940)

## FOREIGN EXCHANGE ACQUISITION ORDER

### IMPORTANT NOTICE

As announced by the Minister of Finance, the Foreign Exchange Acquisition Order, 1940, has been enacted by Order-in-Council under the authority of the War Measures Act.

Unless exempted by the Order, every resident of Canada who, on May 1st, 1940, has any foreign currency in his possession, ownership or control, whether in Canada or outside Canada, is required forthwith to sell such foreign currency to an Authorized Dealer (i.e. a branch of a chartered bank) for payment in Canadian dollars at the official buying rate of the Foreign Exchange Control Board.

"Foreign currency", for the purposes of the Order, means any currency (excluding coin) other than Canadian currency and includes bank notes, postal notes, money orders, cheques, travellers' cheques, prepaid letters of credit, bank drafts and other similar instruments payable in any currency other than Canadian currency, and also includes any amount in foreign currency of which a resident has a right to obtain payment by reason of a deposit, credit or balance of any kind at or with a bank, savings bank, trust company, loan company, stockbroker, investment dealer or other similar depository.

The Order does not require the sale of any foreign securities.

The Order does not affect any foreign currency, deposit or securities of any non-resident of Canada and for greater certainty the Order expressly declares that a non-resident visiting Canada for business or pleasure for a period or periods not exceeding six months in the year continues to be a non-resident for the purposes of the Order unless such person enters or has entered Canada with the intention of becoming a permanent resident.

No resident is required to sell any foreign currency if he satisfies the Foreign Exchange Control Board that he held such foreign currency on May 1st, 1940, solely as trustee or agent for a non-resident and that the non-resident's interest therein had not been acquired from a resident since September 15th, 1939, except in a manner approved by the Board.

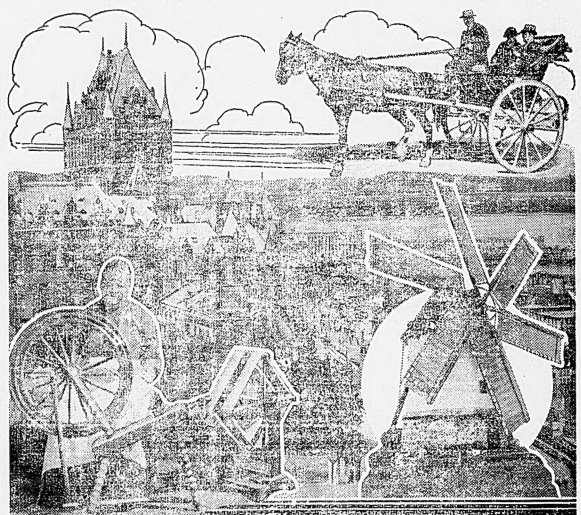
Under certain conditions stipulated in Section 1 (b) of the Order, a resident who is not a Canadian citizen may be granted exemption, but only after application for exemption has been approved by the Board.

No life insurance company incorporated in Canada is required by the Order to sell any foreign currency which it needs for the purpose of carrying on its business outside Canada.

Further particulars may be obtained from branches of chartered banks. Any resident who has any foreign currency in his possession, ownership or control on May 1st, 1940, regardless of amount, should consult his bank at once in order to ascertain the extent to which he is affected by the Order.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE CONTROL BOARD

## Quebec Expects Banner Tourist Season



The Great Gates of Quebec's ancient city wall—originally designed to discourage hostile visitors—will be thrown open this summer for a large scale tourist invasion, expected to top all previous records. With most of Europe's Old World charms affected by wartime conditions, increased numbers of Canadians and Americans will take advantage of Quebec's historic surroundings and fine sporting facilities.

Combining the charm of the past with the luxuries of the present the Chateau Frontenac is the centre of the city's social and sports activities. Dominating the city's skyline, the majestic Canadian Pacific hotel is within easy distance of the city's outstanding points of interest—an ideal headquarters for the visiting tourist. Dufferin Terrace, adjacent to the hotel, offers an ideal view of the historic "Lower Town" and the broad St. Lawrence.

Though possessing ideal facilities for practically every modern sport, Quebec's chief fascination to the tourist lies in its Old World charm. Its narrow, winding streets, lofty spiral churches, convents and quaint domed dwellings are reminiscent of medieval Normandy. Its peaceful years are recalled by battlefields, grim stone forts and ancient cannons.

Nearby points of interest include the Lorette Indian Reservation, the Isle of Orleans, unspoiled by the rush of civilization, the Shrine of Ste. Anne de Beaupre, and the Montmorency Falls. For the sports enthusiast there are fine facilities for golf, tennis, and badminton, while miles of colorful highways beckon the motorist. Laurentide National Park, 30 miles from the city, is a paradise for fishermen, canoeists, camera fans and nature lovers.

Quebec City is easily accessible over Canadian Pacific lines, and is conveniently connected with important centres in eastern Canada and the United States.